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**ROBINSON VICTOR-MC CAWLEY**

**FIXED PRICE LIST**

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WELCOME to our second ROBINSON, VICTOR-MCCAWLEY (RVM) fixed price list.

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Welcome to our second RVM pricelist. We really appreciate the response to our first list and especially the kind comments and words of encouragement. We're still building, but we don't think you will be disappointed with this latest offering. Included is an excellent group of Connecticut Cents by die variety, our usual wide selection of middle dates plus an outstanding group of late dates highlighted by an almost complete run of 1849s by die variety! Some of you commented about difficulty reading the type in our last list. We have endeavored to improve that. Please give us your feedback. We are here to serve YOU and we are always trying to improve. Our next list will be issued after the first of the year. December will be devoted to preparing for our next all Copper auction. We hope to have the catalog in you hands by December 21st. We will be attending the NOISE show in Chicago Dec 7-9 as well as the FUN show in Tampa, Fla Jan. 2-5. We hope you will stop by to say hello if you are attending either of these shows.

WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING TERMS OF SALE

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1. All Coins GUARANTEED Genuine - This is a LIFETIME Guarantee!
2. All attributions are guaranteed correct - also LIFETIME Guarantee!
3. The IDENTIFIED POPULATION estimates (RARITY) of varieties change as more pieces of Copper are attributed, and it is IMPOSSIBLE to have an ACCURATE rating! But, we do use the most up-to-date data available - as reflected in "Copper Quotes by Robinson". (CQR)
4. STRICT ANA & EAC guidelines are used in grading, which consist of assigning a grade based on the state of preservation/wear of the piece. We then describe the condition of the coin so that you will have as good an idea as possible of what the coin looks like without actually being able to see it in person. It is our intent that there be NO SURPRISES when you receive the coin. Virtually all old Copper has accumulated some marks in their lifetime since leaving the Die/Mint - It is our intent to describe any such marks of significance. We now introduce a new term - VALUE GRADING!!

Sharpness Grade is far easier to describe in consistent terms, and where there may be circulation defects such as porosity, gouges, rim dings/nicks/bruises, corrosion and other such detractions, arriving at a NET GRADE is certainly subjective at best. The grade that we have assigned on the first line describing each coin is intended to represent this NET GRADE/VALUE GRADE.

If the Second Line does NOT start with a Sharpness grade, then it is our opinion that the NET GRADE of the coin is the SAME AS the SHARPNESS GRADE of the coin, and that there are NO SIGNIFICANT defects worth mentioning. Perhaps NOT PERFECTION, but whatever marks or other elements that may be present, do not deduct from the over-all appearance/grade of the coin, and are mentioned for accuracy.

5. A Full 30 DAY return privilege is allowed for any or no reason. Our business is based upon attracting repeat customers, and it does none of us any good for you to keep a coin with which you are not completely satisfied. The 30 day period is an approval period, and we welcome any of our customers to show their purchases from us to any other EXPERIENCED EAC member for another opinion. Sales are final after the 30 day period, but we will certainly consider extensions in this time limit upon any reasonable request.
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7. All orders are sent postpaid.
8. Approval service is available to established clients with 7 day terms.

We are always interested in buying Early Copper & Type Coins! If you have coins to sell, we would be happy to have you contact us. We are willing to PAY STRONG PRICES for NICE coins. We will also accept coins on a consignment basis at a reasonable commission. Please feel free to contact either of us with ANY questions that you may have!

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## COLONIALS

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LONDON ELEPHANT TOKEN	VF30	\$ 325.00
XF40 Lustrous chocolate brown some lite edge marks which seem to be unavoidable with this issue but no large edge bumps Well struck all shield lines on reverse sharp A superior example		
FUG10 9P	VG10	\$ 75.00
F12 Glossy chocolate brown small rim mark K6 obverse nice overall appearance		
FUG10 18U R6	VF35	\$ 395.00
XF40 Nice basically smooth tan surfaces tiny rim mark K10 obverse otherwise free of marks A very rare variety in nice condition this example is superior to the Kessler plate coin		
FUG10	AU50 NEW HAVEN RESTRIKE	\$ 220.00
Nice well struck problem free example Lustrous red and brown		
1723 HIBERNIA FARTHING	VF20	\$ 48.00
VF30 Attractive golden brown Some lite plttng blends into fields A nice looking coin		
1785 CONNECTICUT M3.4 F2 R3	VG8	\$ 12.00
VGB Small hole K7 Chocolate brown		
1785 CONNECTICUT M4.4 C R5	VG8	\$ 35.00
F12 Medium tan a few planchet striations common to this type rlm clip K8 Good eye appeal Scarce variety		
1785 CONNECTICUT M5 F5 R5	F15	\$ 185.00
VF20 Lovely smooth black and tan One lite planchet lamination central reverse the only defect This is an outstanding example of this issue as 1785 Connecticuts seem to be plagued by planchet defects		
1785 CONNECTICUT M6.2 F1 R4	VGB	\$ 37.00
VG10 Black & Tan, Just a touch grainy, Well Struck for the Variety - Date 1s Sharp		
1787 CONNECTICUT M6.1 M R1	VGB LAUGHING HEAD	\$ 95.00
F12 Light brown grainy surfaces Problem free Popular variety		
1787 CONNECTICUT M.9 R R7	AG3	\$ 75.00
Dark brown a few planchet striations Top of date visible as well as most of legend and devices Glossy attractive & RARE		
1787 CONNECTICUT M.11.2 K R4	G4	\$ 22.00
VG7 Medium brown and tan slightly grainy Planchet lamination on bust K7 Good overall eye appeal		
1787 CONNECTICUT M.31.1-gg1 R7	G6	\$ 110.00
VGB Nice brown and tan grainy surfaces A RARE VARIETY		
1787 CONNECTICUT M 32.1 X3 R5	VG10	\$ 82.00
Smooth lite tan some minor planchet imperfections choice for the grade with great eye appeal RARE		
1787 CONNECTICUT M.32.3-X4 R1	VGB	\$ 38.00
F12 Smooth tan some minor plan striations and a few nicks Good eye appeal		
1787 CONNECTICUT M32.4 X5 R6	VGB	\$ 120.00
Choice glossy tan A VERY RARE VARIETY		
1787 CONNECTICUT M.33.13-1hh2 R7	F12	\$ 190.00
VF20 Dark Brown some minor graininess and a bit of dirt in devices Comparable to Pine Tree 2/15/75 :220 A RARE VARIETY		
1787 CONNECTICUT M33.20 Z16 R3	VGB	\$ 65.00
SNIPENOSE VARIETY F12 Chocolate brown and tan minutely grainy surfaces Sharp and very attractive		
1787 CONNECTICUT M.37.2-LL R5	VG7	\$ 110.00
VG10 Smooth chocolate brown Couple planchet flaws reverse K2 A nice example of a scarce variety		

1787	CONNECTICUT	M.37.B II	R5 G4	\$ 60.00
	VG7	smooth light brown struck about 5% off center Date weak most od design sharp A nice coin Scarce variety		
1788	CONNECTICUT	M4.1 K	R6 F12	\$ 110.00
	F15 MAILED RUST RIGHT	Light Brown, tiny patch verdigris Central OBV (Should come out with a soaking) REV bluntly Struck as always for this RARE Variety This is a More Than Respectable Example		
1788	CONNECTICUT	M16.2 O	R6 F12	\$ 145.00
	VF20	Deep chocolate brown Old plan flaw in field before face K10 obverse Good eye appeal and very rare		
1787	MASSACHUSETTS	CENT R3-G	VG7	\$ 37.00
	VG10	Smooth brown Nick K12 reverse Nice for type		
	ST PATRICK'S FARTHING		VG 10	\$ 110.00
	Choice smooth tan planchet Variety with bird under king			
1787	NEW JERSEY	M23-P	AG3	\$ 12.00
	Heavily marked	Inexpensive example for type		
1787	NEW JERSEY	M38-C	F12	\$ 65.00
	VF20	Chocolate brown with grainy surfaces and a tiny edge clip K 10 Nice eye appeal Comparable to Bowers 1/24/85 #2360 Not an especially scarce variety but elusive in decent condition		
1787	NEW JERSEY	M39-A	VG10	\$ 42.00
	Chnice golden tan Some minor planchet striations Very nice for the grade			
1787	NEW JERSEY	M56-N	F12 CAMELS HEAD VARIETY	\$ 82.00
	VF20	Dark olive brown lite corrosion Good eye appeal and actually a decent planchet for the variety 56-N almst always comes overstruck on other contemporary coppers such as Connecticuts, Vermonts,british and Irish Half Pence etc.Some collectors specialize in collecting this variety by undertype!This example overstruck on a Connecticut Cent A nice coin		
1787	NEW JERSEY	M64-T	F12 LARGE PLANCHET	\$ 110.00
	VF20	Brassy mottled olive brown and tan Surfaces slightly grainy a few hairlines hidden in toning Sharp and attractive.		
1788	NEW JERSEY	M50-F	G4 HEAD FACING LEFT	\$ 135.00
	VG8	Black and tan not very attractive and probably recolored various marks and a tiny bit of extra metal K 8 perhaps indicative of a former mounting All detail is clear A VERY RARE POPULAR VARIETY		
1786	VERMONT	RR-6	AG3	\$ 55.00
	Struck slightly off center date gone most of reverse weak Landscape is visible A nice filler			
1706	VERMONT	RR-6	VG7	\$ 105.00
	F12	Attractive lite tan an number of planchet voids apparently the result of having been struck over another copper though undertype is not clear Struck slightly off center half of date visible Other detail clear A nice example of this popular variety		
1787	VERMONT	RR-12 R4	AG3	\$ 38.00
	G4	Brown and tan porous surfaces		
HALF CENTS				
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1797	C-3a	R3 G4	LOW HEAD	\$ 125.00
	VG7	Glossy brown and tan some striking weakness reverse K10-2 some lite pitting and marks Good eye appeal for this normally miserable appearing variety		
1803	C 1	R1	G6	\$ 30.00
	VGA	Glossy Chocolate Brown with a few trivial hairlines Reverse Bisecting Break		

1803	C-4 R3 F12	\$ 95.00
	Glossy chocolate brown one mark in field K5 another at rim K8 obverse VERY SCARCE variety in nice condition	
1803	C-3 R1 F12	\$ 75.00
	Choice glossy deep tan minor circulation marks Later state of dies with bulge under 10 A nice example	
1804	C-8 R1 VF20 SPIKED CHIN PROTRUDING TONGUE	\$ 72.00
	VF20 Chocolate brown smooth surfaces lite circulation marks Old hairline below CENT reverse A nice looking coin	
1805	C-1 R1 VF20	\$ 185.00
	VF25 Choice glossy chocolate brown full hair detail Some hairline scratches obverse K1 Minor striking weakness in wreath K5 A far above average of this date and variety Very difficult to locate in this grade	
1805	C-1 R1 AU50 STEMLFSS	\$ 475.00
	AU55 Pretty two tone golden tan & brown small rust stain reverse K7 Well struck and fully lustrous with only the lightest rub on the high points Very SCARCE in this condition Ex Mid-American Capitol City Sale 2/15/85142 plated	
1806	C-2 R4 G4 SMALL SIX WITH STEMS	\$ 82.00
	VG7 Basically smooth chocolate brown some roughness visible under magnification Decent example of a scarce and popular variety	
1806	C-1 R1 VF20 STEMLFSS	\$ 68.00
	VF25+ Tiny Mark in Hair, another at OBV Rim K5 Choice Glossy Brown Surfaces	
1807	C-1 R1 G6	\$ 35.00
	Perfect for the grade. Glossy chocolate brown, MARK-FREE Surfaces. Late Die State with die break from 0 through 7 to bust and severe die sinking around legends.	
1807	C-1 R1 VF20	\$ 155.00
	VF30 Glossy chocolate brown All hair detail visible. Perhaps deserving of a higher grade for the issue though 1807s in high grade are so scarce it probably makes no difference Some light circulation marks and microscopic hairlines Late die state with die crack from 0 through 7 to bust A nice example and almost impossible to find in this grade	
1808	C-2 R3 F12 1808/7 OVERDATE	\$ 195.00
	VF20 Glossy Reddish Brown with a planchet Void K7 OBV Affects bottom part of 1 of date, with a few other minor marks. SHARP OVERDATE - Far ABOVE Average for this Variety	
1808	C-3 R1 G6	\$ 32.00
	Nice smooth light brown	
1809	C-2 R3 G4	\$ 22.00
	G6 Medium Brown with rough surfaces - SCARCE VARIETY	
1809	C-2 R3 VG7	\$ 34.00
	Dark brown nice for grade tougher variety	
1809	C-5 R1 EF40 1809/6 OVERDATE	\$ 75.00
	EF45 Pretty mix of golden brown and tan Sharp strike scattered lite circulation marks Good eye appeal	
1809	C-6 R1 VF30	\$ 55.00
	XF40 Glossy golden brown a bit of dirt on reverse Attractive	
1810	C-1 R1 VF20	\$ 95.00
	VF30 Glossy light brown mark in field K8 obverse tiny rim bump K11.A decent looking coin This date quite elusive in this condition	
1811	C-1 R4 VG7	\$ 120.00
	VG10 Dark brown minutely rough surfaces some old hairlines hidden in devices All detail sharp including all reverse lettering Good overall eye appeal	
1825	C-1 R3 G6	\$ 30.00
	Smooth Medium Brown, Problem-Free	

1825	C-1	R3	F12	\$ 48.00
	VF20/F12	Dark Steel,	a bit grainy with one tiny rim mark K2 REV, Good over-all eye appeal, SCARCE in this condition	
1825	C-1	R3	VF25	\$ 65.00
	VF25	Glossy Tan with a couple of old hairlines and a few scattered marks - Good Eye Appeal		
1825	C-2	R1	VGB	\$ 25.00
	Smooth medium tan problem free	Ex Bowers		
1825	C-2	R1	VF30	\$ 52.00
	VF35	Medium Tan with a few minor circulation marks		
1825	C-2	R1	VF30	\$ 68.00
	Attractive mix of lustrous gold & brown Great color and surfaces			
1825	C-2	R1	AUSS	\$ 235.00
	Beautiful lustrous light tan.	Well struck. One spot darker toning central REV. Virtually impossible to find in this grade I have never seen a true Mint State example offered.		
1826	C-1	R1	F15	\$ 32.00
	Nice glossy light brown minor circulation marks			
1826	C-1	R1	VF20	\$ 42.00
	VF25	Glossy chocolate brown tiny bit of dirt on reverse Well struck attractive and problem free		
1828	C-1	R3	VF30	\$ 52.00
	Glossy Golden Tan - VERY NICE			
1828	C-3	R1	F12	\$ 28.00
	Glossy Medium Brown			
1828	C-3	R1	F15	\$ 35.00
	VF20	Nice Deep Tan, Trivial circulation marks		
1828	C-3	R1	EF40	\$ 55.00
	EF40/45	Small Nicl on Bust, otherwise almost flawless surfaces Choice Semi-Profile surfaces, Attractive Golden Tan Color		
1829	C-1	R1	F15	\$ 32.00
	Smooth Olive Brown, tiny rim mark K5 REV			
1832	C-2	R1	AU50	\$ 135.00
	AU55	Tiny planchet flaw at rim K4 Beautiful lustrous golden brown with hints of red A coin with great eye appeal		
1832	C-3	R1	VF20	\$ 42.00
	VF25	Sharp glossy tan some dirt in devices reverse Very attractive		
1835	C-2	R2	VF30	\$ 45.00
	EF40	Some marks hidden in hair. Nice Glossy Deep Chocolate Brown Color - Good Eye Appeal		
1837	Low 49		VF20 HALF CENT TOKEN	\$ 62.00
	Nice example of this token popularized by its inclusion in the old Wayte Raymond albums			
1851	C-1		VF20	\$ 45.00
	Glossy Brown Problem Free			
1851	C-1		AU50	\$ 120.00
	Lustrous golden tan Problem free			
1851	C-1		AUSS	\$ 145.00
	Lustrous golden olive with a fair amount of red clinging to devices Great eye appeal			
1853	C-1		VF35	\$ 48.00
	XF40	Light brown couple microscopic hairlines Good eye appeal		
1853	C-1		XF40	\$ 65.00
	XF45	Glossy chocolate brown couple minor rim marks Nice attractive coin for date or type		
1856	C-1		XF40	\$ 65.00
	Lustrous golden tan minor circulation marks Pretty			
1857	C-1		F12	\$ 42.00
	Nice chocolate brown some scattered circulation marks Scarce			

LARGE CENTS  
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1794	S-20 R4 AG3	HEAD OF 1793	\$ 230.00
	A Nice Example for the Grade. Full Head, Date & LIBERTY visible, but weak. A small nick in field near rim OBV K4		
	A More Significant Gouge central REV on E of ONE		
	Planchet is basically a smooth medium brown. This is a Very Nice low grade example of this Popular Variety		
1794	S-49 R2 G4	OBV a bit sharper, REV a bit weak, periphery K12-2	\$ 135.00
	Choice light brown color & surfaces Ex EAC '85:48		
1794	S-59 R3- F12	F15 Somewhat grainy, light brown planchet, STRONG Details	\$ 325.00
1794	S-62 R4+ AG3	G5 Medium tan color quite porous surfaces No bad marks	\$ 72.00
	Cud KB-9 obverse		
1794	S-72 R2+ VG8	HEAD OF 1795	\$ 175.00
	F15 Dark Steel with litely pitted surfaces		
1794	S-72 R2+ VG7	HEAD OF 1795	\$ 175.00
	VG8 Glossy chocolate brown some underlying roughness visible under a glass One small mark in hair otherwise completely free of marks or bumps Nice for the grade		
1794	S-72 R2+ VG8	HEAD OF 1795	\$ 245.00
	VG10 Smooth olive tan some minor circulation marks and hairlines		
	Nice looking and well above average for this variety		
1795	S-74 R4 VG8	LETTERED EDGE	\$ 185.00
	VG10 Sharp & Free of Marks. Surfaces burnished at one time &		
	Now recolored a reddish brown - Still NICE		
1795	S-76b R1 VG10	F12 Glossy Medium Tan with old hairline hidden in the hair	\$ 275.00
	Rim Clip KB affects only a few denticles		
1795	S-77 R4 VF25	VF35 Attractive deep chocolate brown surfaces, minutely grainy under a glass. Central reverse weakly struck as usual.	\$ 900.00
	This variety readily available in low grade.		
	Prohibitively RARE in this condition		
1795	S-78 R1 G4	G5 Smooth reddish tan clean surfaces though some microscopic porosity visible with a glass Some striking weakness K7-10 and K2-4 reverse otherwise all detail sharp Good eye appeal	\$ 95.00
1795	S-78 R1 VG10	F15 Smooth Black & Tan, litely porous surfaces, perhaps burnished & recolored. Some rim marks K5 & KB OBV and K10 REV Sharp with good over-all Eye Appeal	\$ 175.00
1795	S-78 R1 VF20	VF30 Glossy Ebony, Well Struck, Microscopically Porous	\$ 550.00
1796	S-81 R3 VG8	VG10 Smooth Chocolate Brown with a couple of minor REV rim	\$ 240.00
	bumps - NICE Appearing Coin		
1796	S-88 R4+ AG3	Glossy chocolate brown and problem free Obverse a solid good	\$ 72.00
	the reverse is virtually blank Scarce		
1796	S-88 R4+ G6	Smooth Dark Brown, Sharp Detail, but ONE CENT a hit weak. A	\$ 190.00
	Tough Variety in any condition. Unusual to find one this NICE		
1796	S-108 R3+ VG8	F15 Glossy Ebony over slightly rough surfaces. Small Rim	\$ 265.00
	Bump KB - NICE COIN		
1796	S-109 R3+ VG7	VG10/B Olive Black & Tan - Few minor marks & bumps, surfaces	\$ 200.00
	minutely porous. Good over-all eye appeal. '96 Draped Busts are very elusive in any decent condition.		

1796	S-110 R2 Fr2	\$ 35.00
	G6/BS1 Glossy Chocolate Brown with good DBV Detail including a full Sharp Date and Cud over TY. Reverse is Virtually Blank	
1797	S-120b R2 G4 REVFRSE OF 1796 G5 swelling reverse affects part of legend Decent coin	\$ 35.00
1798	S-164 R4+ AG3 VG8 Surfaces a bit grainy couple rim marks reverse Nice olive brown color SCARCE	\$ 58.00
1798	S-172 R2+ VG7 F12 Dark brown uniformly granular surfaces Free of marks	\$ 55.00
1798	S-176 R5- AG3 G5 Medium Tan, litely pitted surfaces with a couple of old pin scratches hidden in toning. All detail visible. Diagnostic Die Crack above DF A. Clearly Acceptable Example	\$ 48.00
1798	S-179 R1+ AG3 G4 Brassy tan from an old cleaning scattered circulation marks	\$ 19.00
1798	S-182 R5 VG7 VF20 Black, Somewhat gray surfaces. The DBV has Great Eye Appeal. The REV has a large gouge directly under/into N of ONE. Some dull crud & other marks. This coin has both its Good & Bad points.	\$ 220.00
1798	S-187 R1 AG3 Chocolate brown surfaces slightly grainy Nice for grade	\$ 19.00
1798	S-187 R1 G4 VG7 Chocolate brown and tan some dirt on surfaces and some pinscratching Decent overall eye appeal	\$ 28.00
1800	S-191 R2 VG8 1800/798 F12/VG8 Pretty, Smooth Brown & Tan. Couple of scratches thru D of ONE, few other minor circ marks - GOOD EYE APPEAL	\$ 65.00
1800	S-196 R1 G4 1800/98 Glossy Steel Brown	\$ 35.00
1800	S-197 R1 VG10 "Q" VARIETY hairline scratches. GREAT EYE APPEAL	\$ 75.00
1800	S-200 R3 G4 G6 Pretty Golden Tan Color with a couple rim/surface marks	\$ 28.00
1801	S-224 R1 G4 VG8 Nice chocolate brown color a number of lite pits	\$ 18.00
1802	S-227 R3- F12 F15 Sharp Detail, Surfaces Basically Smooth, Chocolate Brown One gouge 1st T of STATES, some other circulation marks	\$ 90.00
1802	S-228 R2 VG8 1/000 REVERSE VG10 Smooth brown and tan some minor circulation marks Nice example of the variety	\$ 68.00
1802	S-233 R3+ VG8 VG10 Smooth tan with scattered lite circulation marks	\$ 45.00
1802	S-233 R3+ VG10 VF20 Uniformly corroded lite ebony Sharp detail and good overall eye appeal from old Pittsburg dealer Chalmers Roberts comes with envelope	\$ 68.00
1802	S-236 R1 AG3 Glossy brown and tan Choice for grade just lots of wear Ex Mellon Bank	\$ 14.00
1802	S-236 R1 G5 G6 Smooth Chocolate Brown, One Old scratch between ONE and CENT with just a few other marks - Good Over-all Eye Appeal	\$ 28.00
1802	S-237 R2 G6 VG8 Glossy Olive Brown, Some minor circulation marks	\$ 28.00

1802	S-241 R1+ AG3	STEMLESS WREATH Nice brown and tan smooth surfaces Problem free Just wear	\$ 14.00
1803	S-247 R3 G4	MUMPS OBVERSE G5 Glossy brown some edge marks and lite hairlines	\$ 28.00
1803	S-247 R3 G6	MUMPS OBVERSE Smooth olive brown, minor circulation marks - Nice for grade	\$ 37.00
1803	S-247 R3 VG10	MUMPS VARIETY VF20 Steel Brown with litely granular surface. Rev with a Greenish Patina with some old scraping in field K4-5 between Wreath and Legend. Decent Example the Variety	\$ 70.00
1803	S-250 R3 VG8	Choice glossy chocolate brown We obtained this coin in an old collection that came housed in envelopes. This from Chalmers M. Roberts Numismatist Pittsburgh The envelope is marked Large Date Small Fraction...Oh well.	\$ 55.00
1803	S-251 R2 F12	F15 Nice smooth olive tan Some minor marks Great eye appeal A nice coin	\$ 120.00
1803	S-251 R2 VF20	VF25 Glossy Chocolate Brown with a scattering of minor circulation marks - Good Over-all Eye Appeal	\$ 195.00
1803	S-254 R2 G5	VG7 Smooth Steel Color with a number of light edge bumps	\$ 18.00
1803	S-258 R1 F12	F15 Attractive Brown & Tan with microscopic graininess. Great Eye Appeal with clean surfaces, Virtually Mark Free	\$ 105.00
1803	S-261 R3 VG10	F12 Black & Tan, probably recolored, microscopic porosity Good Over-all Eye Appeal	\$ 50.00
1803	S-265 R4 G4	LARGE DATE/LARGE FRACTION VG7 Dark corroded surfaces Popular redbook variety	\$ 52.00
1806	S-270 AG3	Smooth ebony problem free just lots of wear Scarce Date	\$ 19.00
1806	S-270 R1 VG10	VF20 Light Brown, Finely Corroded Surfaces with some REV pin scratches. Pretty much free of marks with SHARP Detail Good Over-all Appearance	\$ 75.00
1807	S-271 R1 G6	COMET VG8 Glossy Dark Tan with a number of tiny Obv marks and several small REV rim nicks. Nice STRONG COMET and the Over-all Appearance of this Coin is Very Nice	\$ 42.00
1807	S-273 R1 F12 1807/6	VF20 Choice Glossy Light Brown with a few minor rim marks Good EYE APPEAL - OBV Die Swelling	\$ 90.00
1811	S-287 R2 F12	F15 Reddish Brown with a few marks and a couple hairlines. Very SHARP. An Attractive example of this scarce date	\$ 135.00
1812	S-288 R1 F12	F15 Glossy Light Brown with a tiny rim mark K12 OBV Couple lite hairlines hidden in hair, visible with a glass Beautiful Color & Surfaces - CHOICE for the Grade	\$ 135.00
1813	S-293 R2 F15	VF20 Medium Ebony, microscopically grainy. Clean Surfaces with a SHARP Strike & Good Eye Appeal	\$ 175.00
1814	S-294 R1 VF20	Very Sharp Brown, Close to XF. Light Surface Porosity. A few almost invisible pin scratches. Very Desirable Coin.	\$ 195.00
1814	S-295 R1 F15	Medium Chocolate Brown, a Bit Dull, but Free of Distracting Marks - Good Over-all Eye Appeal	\$ 145.00

## MIDDLE DATES

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1816	N-2 R1 F15 VF20 Light Brownish Tan, with some scattered circulation marks, a few old hairlines hidden in toning	\$ 28.00
1816	N-2 R1 F15 VF30 Olive Brown Color, Burnished to remove some pitting in Fields. Very Late Die State with Heavy Crumbling K1-4 OBV Rim	\$ 35.00
1816	N-3 R5 VG7 VG10 Steel brown grainy surface two small cuts in field K7&8 Obverse Good eye appeal A rare variety extremely difficult to locate in better condition This is a better than average example	\$ 95.00
1816	N-4 R3 F12 VF20 Glossy Ebony. Quite a few light marks, still DECENT	\$ 27.00
1816	N-5 R3+ VF20 VF30 Pretty Olive & Gold Color with glossy surfaces. Small Rim Bump K6 OBV. Some trivial dirt REV. Great Eye Appeal	\$ 62.00
1816	N-7 R1 F15 VF30 Chocolate Brown, a bit grainy, with a couple of OBV Pin Scratches - SHARP OBVERSE	\$ 28.00
1816	N-8 R1 F12 VF30 Dark litedly pitted surfaces, Single OBV Rim Break K5	\$ 17.00
1816	N-8 R1 F15 VF20 Glossy Mottled Olive Brown. A few minor circulation marks Early Die State with Single OBV Rim Break between Stars 11 & 12 Ext: STARR 11 Sale	\$ 38.00
1816	N-9 R3+ F12 VF20 Chocolate brown lite patches of surface verdigris Obverse K11 reverse K7 Decent example of this scarce variety & improvable	\$ 38.00
1817	N-1 R4+ VGB F12/15 Dull ebony with a few circulation marks. Die break from rim to bust and from rim to coronet. DECENT Example	\$ 38.00
1817	N-2 R4 F12 Flossy Dark Brown & Tan with some minor circulation marks and a bit of dirt. Good Eye Appeal - A Very Difficult Variety to find in decent condition	\$ 42.00
1817	N-6 R1 F15 VF25 Glossy Chocolate Brown, a few too many lite circulation marks with a tiny edge nick K2 OBV	\$ 32.00
1817	R1 N-8 VG10 MOUSE TOP Choice glossy chocolate brown Later state with nice mouse die break	\$ 28.00
1817	N-9 R2 G6 VG8 Medium Chocolate Brown, one nick in field K4 OBV, with some dirt K2 - Good EYE APPEAL	\$ 9.00
1817	N-9 R2 F12 Glossy chocolate brown problem free	\$ 22.00
1817	N-10 R1 F15 VF20 SHARP Detail. Cleaned at one time, Now Dark Brown with Reddish highlights - A DECENT looking coin!	\$ 29.00
1817	N-10 R1 F15 VF20 Nice brown and tan color. A number of microscopic surface marks Good eye appeal	\$ 32.00
1817	N-10 R1 VF20 VF25 Choice glossy chocolate brown small rim mark K8 obverse a few other insigniflant marks A nice looking coin	\$ 45.00
1817	N-11 R1 F15 F15/VF20 Lustrous Chocolate Brown, some old scratches blend in well - Good Eye Appeal	\$ 24.00

1817	N-11 R1 VF25 Smooth Chocolate Brown and Tan	\$ 52.00
1817	N-12 R4- G4 Smooth Chocolate Brown, some minor REV - Nice for the Grade	\$ 12.00
1817	N-12 R4- VG10 F12 Smooth Brown with rim mark K10 OBV. Reddish coloration in front of face - Great Eye Appeal - Very Difficult Variety to find in any sort of Decent Condition	\$ 37.00
1817	N-16 R1+ F12 FIFTEEN STARS VF20 Dark evenly Corroded Surfaces	\$ 24.00
1817	N-16 R1+ F12 FIFTEEN STARS Glossy Light Brown marks consistent with grade Minor Rim Ding K5 Obverse	\$ 32.00
1817	N-16 R1+ VF20 FIFTEEN STARS VF30 Attractive gold tan and brown Some dirt on surfaces. Later later state with break behind ear. A nice coin This variety is difficult to locate in nice condition.	\$ 125.00
1818	N-5 R3 VF35 XF45 Smooth chocolate brown some microscopic pitting visible with 16X glass. A scarce variety in any grade Almost rare in this state of preservation. Scarce middle date varieties in this condition are bringing runaway prices at auctions such as the recent Wyatt sale Virtually irreplaceable at this level This example comparable to the Starr coin which brought over \$300.00 in a somewhat more subdued market	\$ 195.00
1818	N-6 R1 VF20 VF25 Glossy chocolate brown some tiny scratches in field K11 obverse Good eye appeal	\$ 42.00
1818	N-8 R4 F15 VF35 Dark & Evenly Corroded Surfaces. Late Die State with Closed Hair Bun, Rim Cuds K10-1 OBV. Decent Eye Appeal	\$ 27.00
1818	N-8 R4 VF20 VF30 Steel and tan color Some roughness in obverse field K11 has been expertly removed and the surfaces of the entire coin lightiy burnished. Good eye appeal Later die state with hairbuns joined and a series of tiny cuds K10-1 obverse A difficult variety to locate in nice condition	\$ 75.00
1818	N-9 R3 G5 Smooth Medium Brown, some circ marks, exceptionally clean	\$ 9.00
1818	N-9 R3 F15 VF25 Glossy Chocolate Brown/Tan - Some circulation marks and a hairline scratch REV rim K12 to rim K7 Good Eye Appeal	\$ 32.00
1818	N-9 R3 VF20 Deep Chocolate Brown. Couple Minor Marks. Scarce in Decent Grade	\$ 42.00
1818	N-10 R1 AU5B Lustrous, with only the Barest trace of rub on top of hair Pretty tone of Blue & Red - Great Eye Appeal	\$ 225.00
1819	N-3 R3+ VF30 VF35 Lustrous reddish steel with a small rim bump K5 OBV REV probably a full XF. A very sharp attractive example	\$ 155.00
1819	N4 R4 VG10 F12 Smooth brown and tan microscopically grainy under a 16X glass minor marks Exceptionally clean and attractive for the grade	\$ 35.00
1819	N-4 R4 F15 Choice smooth chocolate brown A rare variety in nice condition this is the best example of this variety we recall having offered	\$ 90.00
1819	N-6 R1 F15 VF20 Smooth Reddish Brown with a few minor rim & circ marks	\$ 27.00
1819	N-6 R1 VF20 VF25 Glossy Chocolate Brown with one old hairline in Field K5 OBV - NICE	\$ 38.00

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1819	N-7 R4+ VG7	\$ 48.00
	VG10 Steel brown bit of discoloration K9 obverse good overall appearance Scarcest variety of year Quite difficult to locate	
1819	N-8 R1 VG10	\$ 22.00
	F12 smooth medium brown a few trivial marks NICE	
1819	N 9 R1 VF20	\$ 48.00
	VF25 Glossy olive and steel A couple microscopic spots of roughness central reverse Nice example	
1819	N 10 R3+ VG8	\$ 16.00
	Choice Glossy Chocolate Brown	
1820	N 5 R3 G5	\$ 15.00
	VG7 Brassy Brown, Couple small rim bumps SCARCE Variety	
1820	N-6 R3+ G6	\$ 65.00
	Medium Chocolate Brown with a tiny bit of dirt, but very clean and attractive for grade	
1820	N-7 R2+ VG8	\$ 25.00
	Glossy Chocolate Brown with some minor circ marks. Great EYE APPEAL	
1820	N-12 R2+ F12	\$ 25.00
	VF20 Black & Tan. Very SHARP. Lightly Corroded Surfaces A Difficult Variety to find in Nice Grade	
1821	N-1 R1+ F15	\$ 105.00
	VF20 Glossy lite brown some marks and hairlines in fields small rim mark reverse K7 Good eye appeal a nice example Difficult to find better	
1821	N-2 R1 F12	\$ 50.00
	F15 smooth balck and tan grainy surfaces under a glass	
1822	N-1 R4 F12	\$ 92.00
	Glossy brown minor marks Choice for the grade	
1822	N-1 R4 F15	\$ 92.00
	VF20 Medium brown Some microscopic pitting in fields Scattered lite circulation marks Good eye appeal Scarce variety	
1823	N 2 R2 AG3 PERFECT DATE	\$ 28.00
	G4/AG3 Very CHOICE for grade, Nic Chocolate Brown A bit dull, but free of marks	
1823	N-2 R2 G4/AG3	\$ 35.00
	Glossy Chocolate Brown, Later Die State with beginning of Rim Break/Crumbling 08V K10-11	
1824	N-2 R1 F12	\$ 27.00
	Deep Brrown & Tan - NICE	
1824	N-4 R1 F15	\$ 32.00
	VF20 Chocolate Brown, a bit dull with some surface dirt	
1825	N-3 R2 VG10 WE THINK SCARCE THAN R2	\$ 18.00
	VF20 Dark, litely corroded surfaces, Sharp Detail	
1825	N-8 R1 VG10	\$ 16.00
	F12/15 Dark Brown, Gralny 08V, Good Eye Appeal - Net 10+	
1825	N 9 R2 F12	\$ 45.00
	VF20 Glossy tan some nicks and scratches central reverse blend in well An attractive example of a scarce variety	
1825	N 10 R3+ G5	\$ 9.00
	G6 smooth steel brown minor marks nice for grade	
1826	N-8 R3+ F12 1826/5	\$ 90.00
	Smooth chocolate brown problem free	
1827	N-5 R3 G5	\$ 9.00
	Nice Glossy Golden Brown, Perfect for grade Late Die State with weak dentilation	

1827	N-9 R4 F15 VF20 Dark Brown. A bit dull with a few light marks, Decent Example of a SCARCE Variety	\$ 45.00
1827	N-11 R1 F15 VF20 Deep Chocolate Brown, Microscopically granular, ATTRACTIVE	\$ 25.00
1828	N-1 R2 VF30 VF35 Chocolate Brown with lighter highlights. Scattered circulation marks in field. Very SHARP with good EYE APPEAL Common in low grade, but a DIFFICULT Variety in VF or better	\$ 60.00
1828	N-10 R2- VF20 SMALL DATE VF30 Ebony with lite grainy surface under minor circulation marks. Very Sharp with good Over-all Appearance	\$ 35.00
1830	N-5 R3 VG7 Glossy Chocolate Brown - CHOICE FOR THE GRADE	\$ 14.00
1830	N-8 R1 VGB VG10 Light Brown, possibly recolored, a few marks, ATTRACTIVE	\$ 9.00
1831	N-3 R1 F12 Pretty Mottled Golden Tan with spots of Darker Toning	\$ 19.00
1831	N-9 R3 F15 Glossy Chocolate Brown with a few minor hairlines Nice Circular Die Break - Good Eye Appeal	\$ 25.00
1831	N-12 R1 VF25 XF40 Sharply struck olive tan Uniformly granular surfaces Mid die state with circular break through stars Ex EAC 85:458	\$ 48.00
1832	N-3 R1 VF20 DOUBLE PROFILE Smooth chocolate brown Problem free	\$ 45.00
1833	N-2 R2 F15 F15/VF20 Glossy tan, couple small scratches hidden on REV	\$ 22.00
1835	N-1 R1+ F12 F15 Dark Brown, some minor marks, a bit grainy w/EYE APPEAL	\$ 16.00
1835	N-3 R3+ VGB VG10 Recolored brown with underlying orange. Rim mark K2 OBV Some minor REV pitting - MUCH Better than it Sounds!	\$ 18.00
1835	N-12 R4+ VG7 VG8 Glossy Medium Tan with a tiny rim mark K7 OBV, one nick on neck, a couple others central REV. A Very Attractive example - TOUGH to find better	\$ 65.00
1836	N-1 R1+ VGB Choice glossy light brown with some circulation marks. Early Die State with NO trace of OBV breaks	\$ 9.00
1836	N-2 R2 VG10 F12 Medium Chocolate Brown, couple minor hairlines/marks	\$ 14.00
1836	N-3 R1 VF25 VF30 Medium Tan. A bit spotty, but No Bad Marks Perfect OBV Die State with NO Break	\$ 35.00
1836	N-3 R1 EF40 EF45 Lustrous Golden Tan with a small spot at chin. A few minor marks. Late Die State with Cud over Star 6 and Bisecting Break REV - Very Attractive	\$ 72.00
1837	N-12 R3+ VF20 ACCESSORY "E" VARIETY VF25 Glossy Chocolate Brown with an old hairline scratch from hair into field under Star 6. A few other minor circulation marks, NICE COLOR & Over-all Eye Appeal	\$ 28.00
1837	N-14 R4 F15 VF20 Glossy Chocolate Brown, some pln OBV scratches, Small OBV planchet flaw K12 - Good Eye Appeal	\$ 30.00
1837	N-15 R4 VF20 VF25 Deep tan with some spots of darker toning & circulation marks. Nice Late Die State with cracks on both OBV & REV An Elusive Variety in Nice Grade	\$ 55.00

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1838	N-1	R1	AU50	\$ 150.00
	Lustrous Golden Brown. SHARP Strike, Rim Break 2 Star 5 Surfaces are Exceptionally NICE, Rim Break Star 6-7 almost to 8			
1838	N-1	R1	AU50	\$ 125.00
	Lustrous Reddish Brown with a couple of tiny laminations in field K11 OBV - NICE COIN			
1838	N-6	R1	EF40	\$ 72.00
	EF45 Sharp Lustrous Golden Brown. Small rim mark K6 REV Basically quite clean with Good Eye Appeal - A NICE COIN			
1839	N-11	R1	F12	\$ 22.00
	800BY HEAD Pretty Golden Tan - CHOICE for the Grade			
1839	N-13	R3	VF20	\$ 45.00
	800BY HEAD VF30 Glossy Chocolate Brown, SHARP Strike Rim mark K5 Obv, other minor scattered circulation marks			

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1840	N-10	R2	VF30	C-6	\$ 35.00
	Choice glossy tan Nice clean surfaces Attractive				
1843	N-13	R3	EF40	C-6	\$ 155.00
	PETITE HEAD LARGE LETTERS Coice lustrous steel tan.Minor field marks.Strike typical perhaps a bit better than usual as the hair over the ear is visible though not sharp.The scarcer of the two obverse of 42 reverse of 44 varieties.An attractive coin				
1843	N-10	R4	VF25	C-2	\$ 35.00
	VF30 Choice glossy golden brown a few old hairlines and circulation marks visible with a glass.A scarce variety				
1844	N-5	R1	AU50	C-3	\$ 165.00
	Choice lustrous light brown obverse Reverse an attractive mottling of gold red and olive.Well struck including top of coronet which often comes softly struck on this date. Virtually flawless surfaces. An exceptional example				
1844	N-7	R3	VF35	C-6	\$ 57.00
	EF40 Dark brown obverse The reverse has been cleaned and is now mostly retoned to a reddish tan Well struck for the date Relatively free of distracting marks A scarce variety this is certainly a more than acceptable example				
1845	N-9	R2	EF45	C-8	\$ 67.00
	Lustrous golden tan Well struck A nice coin				
1845	N-10	R3	EF40	C-12	\$ 48.00
	Smooth chocolate brown Problem free				
1845	N-10	R3	EF45	C-12	\$ 75.00
	Lustrous chocolate brown some lite marks on jaw visible with a glass otherwise virtually flawless surfaces.Sharp strike with all stars fully struck.Great eye appeal				
1845	N-12	R3	F12	C-5	\$ 9.00
	F15 Medium Brown with some dirt on surfaces				
1846	N-2	R2	VF35	C-15	\$ 45.00
	EF40 Nice Reddish Tan with some scattered marks, Some dirt in devices REV - bit of lustre remains on OBV				
1847	N-6	R1	EF40	C-5	\$ 48.00
	EF45 Some Circulation Marks, both OBV & REV Glossy Dark Brown - SHARP STRIKE, Good Eye Appeal				
1847	N-24/25	R1	VG10	C-26	\$ 10.00
	Superb Glossy Golden Tan - Perfect for the Grade				
1847	N-35	R4	VF20	C-37	\$ 25.00
	Nice glossy chocolate brown Problem free Scarce variety				

1848	N-1 R2 EF40 C-18	\$ 65.00
	EF45 Lustrous Chocolate Brown over Semi-Prooflike Surfaces One tiny hairline scratch between stars 7 & 8. Razor SHARP Strike - Outstanding Eye Appeal	
1848	N-23 R4 VF30 C-27	\$ 48.00
	EF40 Smooth reddish tan Some dirt in legend reverse A scarce variety This is a nice example that could be improved with a little patience	
1849	N-1 R4 VG10 C-10	\$ 10.00
	Nice tan Ni and N15 are the same variety	
1849	N-5 R4 VF30 C-8	\$ 34.00
	EF40 Glossy golden tan Nick under nose miscellaneous circulation marks	
1849	N-5 R4 VG8 C-8	\$ 12.00
	Golden brown Scarce variety	
1849	N-6/22 R2 VF20 C-14,15	\$ 12.00
	Steel brown few minor marks Nice looking	
1849	N-6/22 R2 VF35 C-14,15	\$ 42.00
	EF40 Smooth golden brown a number of lite circulation marks	
1849	N-8 R3 F15 C-18 1849/8	\$ 14.00
	Glossy chocolate brown, Early Die State	
1849	N-8 R3 VF25 C-18 1849/8	\$ 25.00
	Glossy golden brown bit of dirt on surfaces Die cracks around legend, reverse Nice example of the variety, Late Die State	
1849	N-8 R3 VF30 C-18 1849/8	\$ 40.00
	Choice glossy golden tan An attractive coin, Even Later Die State	
1849	N-9 R3 VF20 C-20	\$ 14.00
	VF25 Attractive glossy tan Surfaces a bit busy though no distracting marks	
1849	N-10 R4 EF45 C-25	\$ 78.00
	Nice reddish steel with some traces of luster Some minor marks Good eye appeal A scarce variety	
1849	N-11 R3 VG8 C-26	\$ 9.00
	Smooth problem free light brown	
1849	N-11 R3 EF45 C-26	\$ 78.00
	Choice reddish brown Nice strike Virtually mark free	
1849	N-12 R2 VF30 C-27	\$ 29.00
	EF40 Reddish brown A bit of dirt and some corrosion on the reverse Very sharp with good overall eye appeal	
1849	N-13 R4 VF30 C-5	\$ 34.00
	EF40 Smooth light brown Well struck Some light pitting in field Kii and on coronet.Nice eye appeal Scarce variety	
1849	N-14 R5 VG8 C-6	\$ 18.00
	F12 Smooth light brown One hairline reverse Some light circulation marks A very scarce variety in our estimation	
1849	N-14 R5 VF30 C-6	\$ 65.00
	VF35 Glossy steel brown One small mark under E of STATES Some trivial rim marks Nice example of the variety.We believe this to be a very scarce variety Much more difficult to locate than previously believed	
1849	N-17 R3+ VF35 C-7	\$ 35.00
	EF40 Cleaned at one time and now recolored a smooth ebony with a couple lighter copper spots A nice looking coin very sharp and with good overall eye appeal	
1849	N-19 R5 EF45 C-24	\$ 145.00
	Pretty lustrous tan Attractive pristine slightly iridescent surfaces Only a few trivial marks.An exceptional example of this very scarce variety	

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1849	N-20 R1 VF25 C-13 VF30 Glossy golden brown Tiny scratch in field KB reverse other minor marks Good eye appeal	\$ 24.00
1849	N-23 RS VF25 C-11 VF30 Nice chocolate brown A small rim bump KB reverse A couple other tiny rim marks A very scarce variety rated R7 by Reiver The VF30 Star II specimen realized 264.00 This is a nice example with good eye appeal	\$ 124.00
1849	N-24 RS VF20 C-4 VF25 Glossy light brown few minor rim marks Great eye appeal A scarce variety	\$ 45.00
1849	C-17 R4 VF35 NOT IN NEWCOMB EF45 Glossy chocolate brown Sharp and attractive Some areas of graininess on reverse visible under magnification Some minor rim marks An attractive example of a very scarce variety	\$ 55.00
1849	C-23 R4 VF30 NOT IN NEWCOMB VF35 Glossy medium brown some short scratch marks in field blend in well lited circulation marks. Great eye appeal Still a rather scarce variety Though many examples have come to light since Newcomb	\$ 52.00
1850	N-6 R2 EF40 C-10 Smooth reddish tan Virtually free of marks Nice.	\$ 55.00
1850	N-6 R2 AU55 C-10 Absolutely choice lustrous golden brown Sharply struck only the most trivial marks it's almost impossible to find this quality offered at the proper grade This piece has underlying Mint Red	\$ 165.00
1850	N-11 R3 EF45 C-23 Choice lustrous golden brown Well struck Problem free	\$ 75.00
1850	N-15 R4 EF45 C-21 AU50 Lustrous Olive Brown with a couple of tiny marks	\$ 75.00
1850	N-22 R3 VF35 C-7 Superb golden tan couple marks on face NICE	\$ 32.00
1850	N-22 R3 EF40 C-7 Lustrous Medium Brown, PROBLEM FREE, Great Eye Appeal	\$ 75.00
1851	N-14 R3 AU50 C42 Lustrous reddish brown minor marks Attractive	\$ 90.00
1851	N-17 R3 VF30 C-8 EF40 Old scratch from Star 1 to rim KB other minor circulation marks Glossy golden brown color Good eye appeal	\$ 25.00
1851	N-21 R3 F15 C-2 Glossy brown, PROBLEM FREE	\$ 12.00
1853	N-2 R3+ EF40 C-4 Very sharp attractive oxblood color Smooth surfaces one tiny mark on cheek Otherwise flawless surfaces A scarcer variety than previously supposed	\$ 68.00
1853	N-3 R1 AU55 C-6 Choice lustrous reddish brown Very little evidence of circulation	\$ 155.00
1853	N-18 R1 EF45 C-31 Choice lustrous golden brown Problem free	\$ 68.00
1853	N-18 R1 AU55 C-31 Lustrous red and brown Problem free Very attractive	\$ 140.00
1853	N-20 R3 AU50 Choice lustrous golden brown Virtually flawless surfaces	\$ 145.00
1854	N-17 R2 EF40 C-23 Glossy light brown with heavy Die Flow Lines Sharp Strike, pretty well Mark Free trivial marks GREAT EYE APPEAL	\$ 45.00

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1855	N-5	R2 EF45 C-7	UPRIGHT FIVES AU50 Attractive oxblood color Very sharp with a bit of dirt in fields Glossy mark free surfaces	\$ 85.00
1856	N-2	R1 EF40 C-5	Nice glossy olive brown Ex Wyatt sale 9/30/85:937 as EF45	\$ 53.00
1856	N-3	R1 MS60 C-9	Pretty red and olive Virtually mark free	\$ 260.00
1856	N-7	R1 EF40 C-5	EF45 Attractive Deep olive brown couple minor rim marks on reverse K5 and K10 Fantastic strike with broad rims Just a great looking coin	\$ 68.00
1856	N-8	R2 AU55 C-17	Pretty olive obverse coupled with rose and steel reverse. Quite lustrous and problem free A nice coin	\$ 135.00
1856	N-17	R2 EF40 C-10	EF45 Attractive olive brown Some luster on reverse There are some scratch marks hidden behind E of STATES on reverse Ex- Superior Wyatt sale 9/30/85:958	\$ 52.00
1856	N-20	R1 EF40 C-18	EF45 Attractive glossy olive brown minor plan void in field obverse K4 visible under magnification A few trivial circulation	\$ 48.00
1857	N-1	R1 VF35 C-1	LARGE DATE Glossy Lite Tan - NICE	\$ 65.00
1857	N-4	R1 VF35 C-4	SMALL DATE Glossy olive tan	\$ 65.00

## COMMENTS

Some of you may have seen the following description in a recent ad in Coin World:

"1886-P Silver dollar MS65/65  
A RARE DATE in RARE condition!"

The ad caught my attention! I have seen many coins described as Scarce! Rare! Extremely Rare! But I believe this is the first time I have seen an 1886 Dollar so described. In fact, upon reading it I felt as if some boundary had been crossed. If an 1886 Silver Dollar can be described as rare, just what does the term mean anyway?

Let's examine the real rarity of the 1886 dollar. In the process maybe we can shed a bit of light on what "rarity" means. Before proceeding I should point out that there are at least two types of rarity. The first may be described as "absolute rarity". Absolute rarity refers to the total population of an item. For instance we presently know of six examples of the 1894-S Barber Dime. It is a RARE coin! There just aren't many around of any sort!

A second category of rarity is condition rarity. There are presently less than a half dozen examples of 1803 Sheldon 265 known in strict EF40. Thus S-265 can be properly described as RARE in Extra Fine or better even though it is only moderately scarce in lower grades.

Returning to the 1886 Silver Dollar. We note that it flunks both tests. The total population of 1886 dollars is probably in the neighborhood of 25% of its original mintage of 19,963,000 approximately four and one half million coins. Now of course not all of these coins are mint state. Perhaps as few as 250,000 remain in uncirculated condition. Of the quarter of a million mint state coins most experts agree no more than 10,000 pieces survive in MS67 grade, perhaps as few as 5,000 pieces. In any case, even in the highest condition a population of 5,000 coins is hardly a rarity.

What has happened when coins like an 1886 Silver Dollar are described as rare? In all fairness it is possible that in the experience of the advertiser of the above coin, an MS65 1886 is rare! He may have owned only one or two. Of course a dealer who has been active in the market for many years will have seen hundreds of examples. But it is possible a coin may appear rare due to current availability.

The lack of availability of a coin may cause it to appear rare. Even in a case where a great many coins overhang the market. In the case of the currently promoted MS65 Dollar market there are literally hundreds of thousands of coins held by speculators and investors ready to be dumped into the market when the price reaches a high enough level. The availability is determined by greed not true demand.

On the other hand many collector coins seem rare because they are essentially unavailable. An example would be a nice Fine 12 1797 Large Cent. We know that this is not a rare coin. It is, in fact, decidedly common. We know there are literally thousands of examples extant. However, so many are in permanent collections it has become a difficult date to find in nice condition. A nice Fine 1797 is a very respectable coin. A coin other collectors want to own. This "true demand" is the basis for its "apparent" rarity. As the collector base increases the availability of 1797 Large Cents in Fine decreases. Eventually higher prices must be paid to acquire the few coins available. The coin has not become any rarer but it has become more desirable! More people would like to own one. This is what motivates the Copper market, love of the Old Coppers and a desire to have a few around.

As for 1886 Dollars, are they rare? Well, I can only say they're rare in our lists.....and likely to remain so! However, if you happen to run into one of those dirty old 1797 Large Cents I think I know a home for it.

BOOKS

We present the following list of books available as a service to our clients. We feel the investment in information and knowledge is the wisest investment a collector can make. All titles are currently in stock. Delivery usually takes from two to four weeks. If you are ordering for Christmas we will ship first class for an additional two dollars per book.

Adams	Monographs on varieties of U.S. Large Cents 1793-1794	205pp	\$35.00
Bowers	Adventures with Rare Coins		\$12.00
Bowers/Gilbert	US Half Cents 91pp		\$ 9.00
Breen	Encyclopedia Of US Half Cents		\$50.00
Cohen	US Half Cents 2nd ed.		\$28.00
Crosby	Early Coins of America		\$40.00
Fuld	US Civil War Store Cards		\$42.00
Kosoff	Abe Kosoff Remembers		\$18.00
Loring	Monographs on Varieties of U.S Large Cents 1795-1803		\$35.00
Newcomb	U.S.Cents 1816-1857		\$48.00
Sheldon	Penny Whimsey		\$50.00

